



TX/OK Panhandles Winter Weather

December 22-23, 2011

NWS Amarillo Weather Briefing

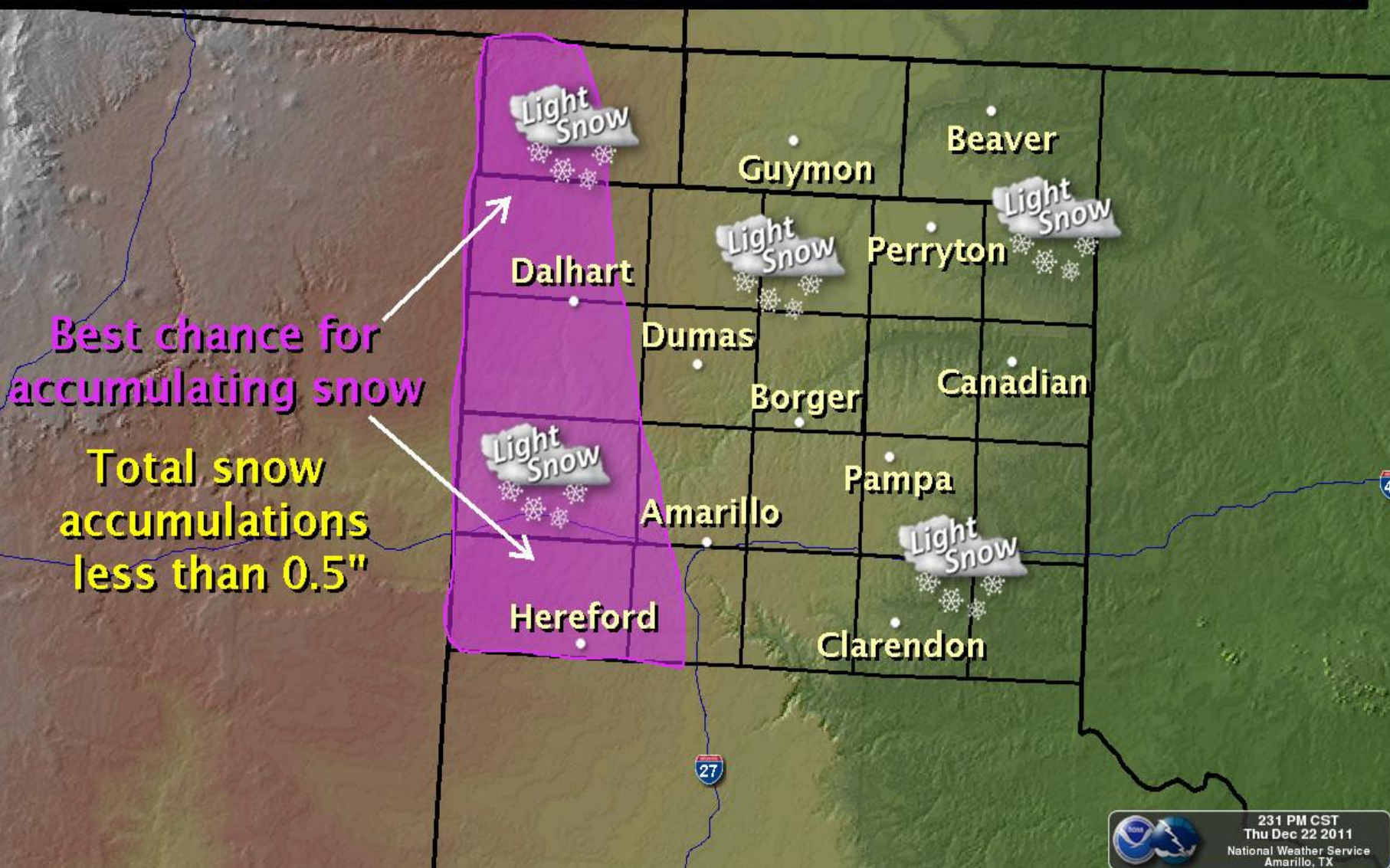


Overview

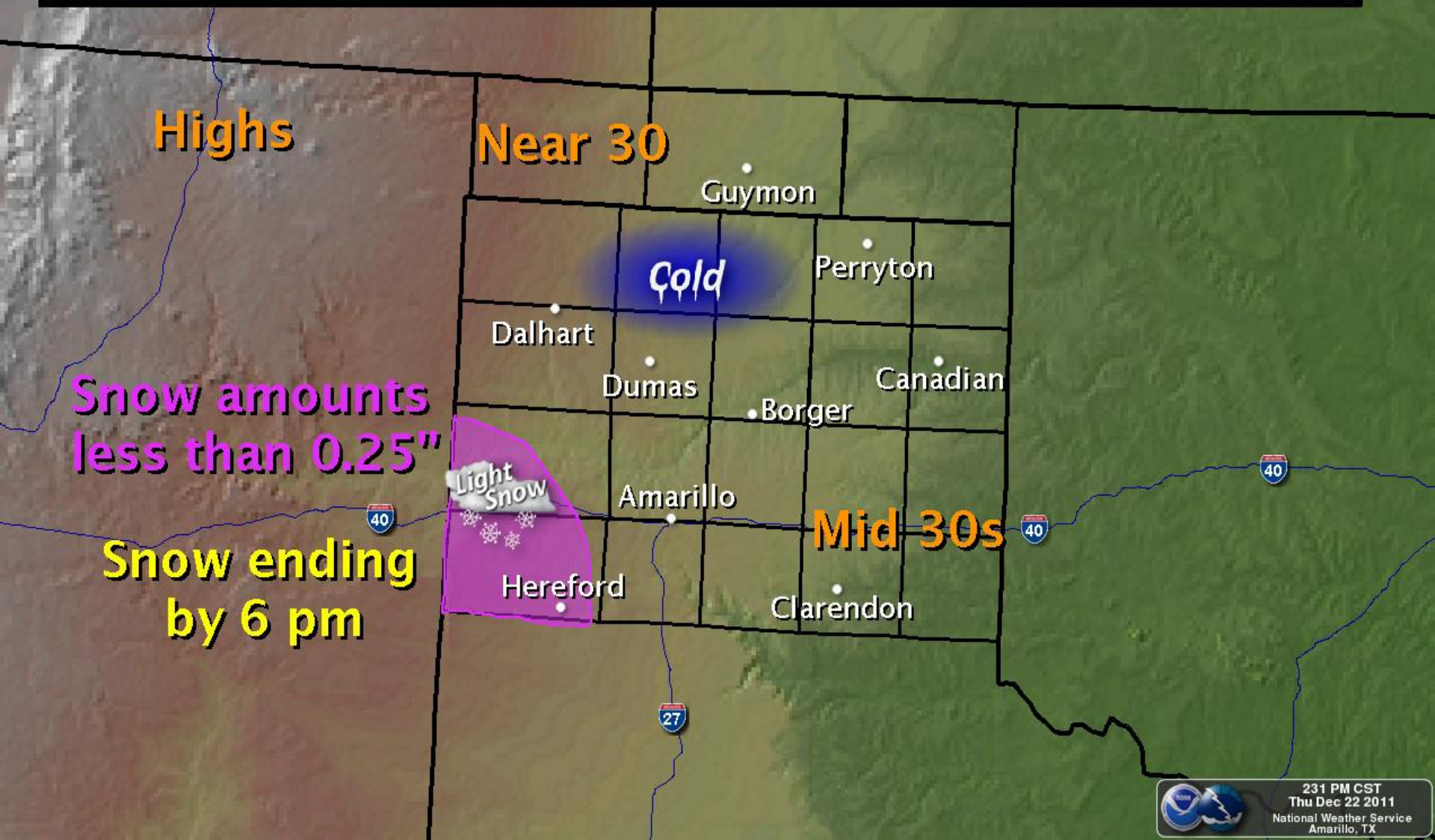
- **Today**

- Light snow and will be possible through Friday
- Additional snowfall accumulations of less than 1" expected, mainly across the southwestern Texas Panhandle
- Blowing snow is a concern across the Oklahoma Panhandle and northern Texas Panhandle

***Light snow possible tonight,
only light accumulations***



Light snow, very cold temperatures expected Friday



Snowfall Accumulations Through Friday

0.5" up
to 1"
Dusting
to 0.5"

None to a trace

Boise City

Guymon

Beaver

Dalhart

Perryton

Dumas

Borger

Canadian

Pampa

Amarillo

Hereford

Clarendon



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Confidence Levels

- **Chance of precipitation – High**
 - Best chance northwest Panhandles through tonight
- **Precipitation Type – High**
 - Light snow is expected through Friday
- **Snow Amounts – Medium**
 - Highest confidence in the west



Impacts

- Light expected across all of the Panhandles with light snow accumulations in the west.
- Roads will be snow packed, especially in the north
- Higher snowfall accumulations are expected further west in the mountains of New Mexico. This may create travel concerns for holiday travelers.



Thank you!

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